

ESSAY #3: DBQ (DOCUMENT-BASED QUESTION)

Part I – Document Work: For full credit, complete the following three steps:

- 1) Answer all questions in the spaces provided. You do not need to use complete sentences.
- 2) Clearly label each document with the letters “**IP**” if you plan to use it to discuss the **imperialist powers perspective** (the people who took over others’ land) and “**CP**” if you plan to use it to discuss the **colonized people’s perspective** (the people whose land was taken over). This will help you organize your essay later.
- 3) As you read through the documents, you should be brainstorming outside information (specific, relevant facts that are NOT in the documents) that you will use in your essay. In the margins, (NOT in the answer spaces!), write down 3 pieces (3 pieces for the whole packet, NOT for each document!) of outside information you plan to use. Clearly label these with the letters “**OI**”.

Part II – Essay:

Directions: Write a well-organized essay that includes an introduction, several paragraphs, and a conclusion. Use evidence from at least **five** documents in the body of the essay. Support your response with relevant facts, examples, and details. Include additional outside information.

Task: Using information from the documents and your knowledge of global history, write an essay in which you:

- Discuss imperialism from the point of view of the imperialist powers.
- Discuss imperialism from the point of view of the colonized people.
- Evaluate whether imperialism was more harmful or more helpful to the colonized people.